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Fibroblast Growth Factor-like Polypeptides For:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

- 1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
 - PTO Form 1449; and cited references b)
 - c) Return postcard
- 2. With respect to fees:
 - a) No fees are required
 - Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit b) Account, No. 13-2490.
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Respectfully submitted,

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